

**SUPREME COURT MINUTES  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 2008  
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA**

**S158928**      B172588 Second Appellate District, Div. 4      **OCM PRINCIPAL  
OPPORTUNITIES FUND v.  
CIBC WG ARGOSY  
MERCHANT FUND 2**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 11, 2008.

**S159867**      B189056 Second Appellate District, Div. 8      **PEOPLE v. JONES (MELVIN  
JAMES)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 11, 2008.

**S159868**      E041179 Fourth Appellate District, Div. 2      **PEOPLE v. REDONDO  
(FRANCISCO  
MONTELONGO)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 11, 2008.

**S159869**      B192783 Second Appellate District, Div. 7      **PEOPLE v. DOTSON  
(CALVIN)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 17, 2008.

**S159878**      C053985 Third Appellate District      **PEOPLE v. KECHLOIAN  
(DARYL LEE)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 11, 2008.

**S159889**      E041656 Fourth Appellate District, Div. 2      **PEOPLE v. STOLTIE (BRIAN JOSEPH)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 11, 2008.

**S159899**      F051612 Fifth Appellate District      **PEOPLE v. WELSH (GERALD DUANE)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 11, 2008.

**S159902**      D050389 Fourth Appellate District, Div. 1      **PEOPLE v. STEWART (FLOYD ANDWRICK)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 11, 2008.

**S159902**      D050389 Fourth Appellate District, Div. 1      **PEOPLE v. STEWART (FLOYD ANDWRICK)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 14, 2008.

**S159907**      B192533 Second Appellate District, Div. 2      **PEOPLE v. WOOD (TREMAYNE LEON)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 14, 2008.

**S159913**      A112059 First Appellate District, Div. 4      **PEOPLE v. GORE (ANTHONY CLARK)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 14, 2008.

**S159924**      C053009 Third Appellate District      **PEOPLE v. ALVAREZ (JUAN PATINO)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 16, 2008.

**S159945**      B191125 Second Appellate District, Div. 2      **WASHINGTON MUTUAL  
BANK v. BLECHMAN  
(ROBERT A.)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April, 11, 2008.

**S159965**      D049593 Fourth Appellate District, Div. 1      **PEOPLE v. ZACARIAS  
(GABRIEL ALONZO)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April, 11, 2008.

**S160000**      B188130 Second Appellate District, Div. 2      **PEOPLE v. LOVATO (JOSE  
A.)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 15, 2008.

**S160019**      H030492 Sixth Appellate District      **PEOPLE v. JACKSON (JOHN  
HARDY)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 16, 2008.

**S160036**      B192980 Second Appellate District, Div. 7      **PEOPLE v. RIDLEY  
(RONALD BROOKS)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 16, 2008.

**S160057**      A115998 First Appellate District, Div. 4      **R. (ROBERTO), IN RE**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 17, 2008.

**S160067**      H029708 Sixth Appellate District      **PEOPLE v. ESPINO (DAVID  
ANTHONY)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 17, 2008.

**S160069**      D052195 Fourth Appellate District, Div. 1      **MARKLEY (MARY) v. S.C. (PEOPLE)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 15, 2008.

**S160151**      B192562 Second Appellate District, Div. 8      **PEOPLE v. RIJOS (RAY FRANCIS)**

The time for granting or denying review in the above-entitled matter is hereby extended to April 17, 2008.

**S072161**      **PEOPLE v. POTTS (THOMAS)**

Extension of time granted

Good cause appearing, and based upon counsel Michael P. Goldstein's representation that he anticipates filing the appellant's opening brief by September 5, 2008, counsel's request for an extension of time in which to file that brief is granted to May 5, 2008. After that date, only two further extensions totaling about 120 additional days will be granted.

**S097886**      **PEOPLE v. ZARAGOZA (LOUIS RANGEL)**

Extension of time granted

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file appellant's opening brief is extended to May 6, 2008.

**S105097**      **PEOPLE v. DUFF (DEWEY JOE)**

Extension of time granted

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file appellant's opening brief is extended to May 5, 2008.

**S155589**      C052177 Third Appellate District      **MORONGO BAND OF MISSION INDIANS v. STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD**

Extension of time granted

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file the reply brief on the merits is extended to March 19, 2008.

**S159690** C050885 Third Appellate District

**STOCKTON CITIZENS FOR  
SENSIBLE PLANNING v.  
CITY OF STOCKTON (A.G.  
SPANOS CONSTRUCTION,  
INC.)**

Extension of time granted

On application of real party in interest A.G. Spanos Construction, Inc. and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file the opening brief on the merits is extended to April 13, 2008.

**S160423** B199605 Second Appellate District, Div. 3

**BELL (OSCAR) v. S.C.  
(H.F. COX, INC.)**

Extension of time granted

On application of petitioners and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file the reply to answer to petition for review is extended to March 11, 2008.

**S042660**

**PEOPLE v. DEMENT  
(RONNIE DALE)**

Order filed

Appellant's "application for leave to file reply brief longer than 47,600 words" is granted.

**S147954** B188550 Second Appellate District, Div. 6

**HOLLYWOOD (JESSE  
JAMES) v. S.C. (PEOPLE)**

Order filed

For purposes of oral argument, the real party in interest will argue first and may reserve time for rebuttal; petitioner will argue second.

**S156221**

**CAVALIER (ALVIN JOHN)  
ON H.C.**

Order filed

The order filed on February 27, 2008, denying the petition for writ of habeas corpus, is amended to reflect the title above.

**S160094** B195938 Second Appellate District, Div. 6**RICHARDSON-TUNNELL  
(KLARE) v. SCHOOL  
INSURANCE PROGRAM  
EMPLOYEES****FOR**

Order filed

The order filed on February 27, 2008, denying the petition for review, is amended to reflect the title above.

**S159818****SAFRAN ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed

It is ordered that NEAL RONALD SAFRAN, State Bar No. 72491, be suspended from the practice of law for one year, that execution of the suspension be stayed, and that he be placed on probation for two years subject to the conditions of probation, including 90 days actual suspension, recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on November 13, 2007. It is also ordered that he take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order. (See *Segretti v. State Bar* (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) It is further ordered that he comply with rule 9.20 of the California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the effective date of this order.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10, and one-half of said costs be paid with membership fees for the years 2009 and 2010. It is further ordered that if respondent fails to pay any installment of disciplinary costs within the time provided herein or as may be modified by the State Bar Court pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 6086.10, subdivision (c), the remaining balance of the costs is due and payable immediately unless relief has been granted under the Rules of Procedure of the State Bar of California (Rules Proc. of State Bar, rule 286). The payment of costs is enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment.

\*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

**S159819****WEST ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed

It is ordered that ANNE YEDVAL WEST, State Bar No. 52908, be suspended from the practice of law for one year, that execution of suspension be stayed, and that she be placed on probation for two years on condition that she be actually suspended for sixty days. Respondent is also ordered to comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed November 13, 2007. It is further ordered that she take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order. (See *Segretti v. State Bar* (1976) 15 Cal.3d

878, 891, fn. 8.) Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business & Professions Code section 6086.10, and one-half of said costs be paid with membership fees for the years 2009 and 2010. It is further ordered that if ANNE WEST fails to pay any installment of disciplinary costs within the time provided herein or as may be modified by the State Bar Court pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 6086.10, subdivision (c), the remaining balance of the costs is due and payable immediately unless relief has been granted under the Rules of Procedure of the State Bar of California (Rules Proc. of State Bar, rule 286). The payment of costs is enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment.

**S159820****HUGHES ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed

It is ordered that KEVIN JOHN HUGHES, State Bar No. 111640, be suspended from the practice of law for two years, that execution of the suspension be stayed, and that he be actually suspended from the practice of law for two years and until the State Bar Court grants a motion to terminate his actual suspension pursuant to rule 205 of the Rules of Procedure of the State Bar of California; and until he provides proof to the satisfaction of the State Bar Court of his rehabilitation, fitness to practice and learning and ability in the general law pursuant to standard 1.4(c)(ii) of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct. Respondent is also ordered to comply with the conditions of probation, if any, hereinafter imposed by the State Bar Court as a condition for termination of his actual suspension. It is further ordered that respondent take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination during the period of his actual suspension. (See *Segretti v. State Bar* (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) It is further ordered that respondent comply with rule 9.20 of the California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the effective date of this order.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment.

\*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 2008  
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The Supreme Court of California convened in the courtroom of the Earl Warren Building, 350 McAllister Street, Fourth Floor, San Francisco, California, on Wednesday, March 5, 2008, at 9:00 a.m.

Present: Chief Justice Ronald M. George, presiding, and Associate Justices Kennard, Baxter, Werdegarr, Chin, Moreno, and Corrigan.

Officers present: Frederick K. Ohlrich, Clerk, and Jeff Whaley, Senior Deputy Clerk.

S143689     Ebbetts Pass Forest Watch et al., Plaintiffs and Appellants,  
              v.  
              California Dept. of Forestry and Fire Protection, Defendant and  
              Respondent;  
              Sierra Pacific Industries, Real Party in Interest and Respondent.  
Cause called. William Jenkins, Office of the Attorney General, argued for  
Respondent California Dept. of Forestry and Fire Protection.  
Edgar B. Washburn argued for Real Party in Interest and Respondent Sierra  
Pacific Industries.  
Thomas N. Lippe argued for Appellants.  
Mr. Jenkins replied.  
Cause submitted.

S149455     Jon Mays, Plaintiff and Appellant,  
              v.  
              City of Los Angeles et al., Defendants and Respondents.  
Cause called. Gerald Masahiro Sato, Office of the City Attorney of Los  
Angeles, argued for Respondents.  
Diane Marchant argued for Appellant.  
Stephen H. Silver argued for Amici Curiae Los Angeles Police Protective  
League et al.



Mr. Sato replied.  
Cause submitted.

S139762 Steven Yount, Plaintiff and Appellant,  
v.  
City of Sacramento et al., Defendants and Respondents.  
Cause called. Matthew D. Ruyak, Office of the City Attorney of  
Sacramento, argued for Respondents.  
Brian T. Dunn argued for Appellant.  
Mr. Ruyak replied.  
Cause submitted.

Court recessed until 1:30 p.m. on this date.

Court reconvened pursuant to recess.  
Members of the court and officers present as first shown.

S141282 The People, Plaintiff and Respondent,  
v.  
Jesse Joe Delgado, Defendant and Appellant.  
Cause called. William D. Farber, Court-appointed Counsel, argued for  
Appellant.  
Robert C. Schneider, Office of the Attorney General, argued for  
Respondent.  
Mr. Farber replied.  
Cause submitted.

S140413 The People, Plaintiff and Respondent,  
v.  
Richard Alex Miles, Defendant and Appellant.  
Cause called. Scott Concklin, Court-appointed Counsel, argued for  
Appellant.  
Stephen G. Herndon, Office of the Attorney General, argued for  
Respondent.  
Mr. Concklin replied.  
Cause submitted.

S024471     The People, Respondent,  
              v.  
              Paul Gregory Watson, Appellant.  
Cause called. Peter R. Silten, Office of the State Public Defender  
Appointed Counsel, argued for Appellant.  
Nancy G. James, Office of the Attorney General, argued for Respondent.  
Mr. Silten replied.  
Cause submitted.

Court recessed until Thursday, March 6, 2008, at 9:00 a.m.

